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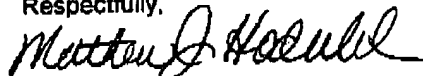
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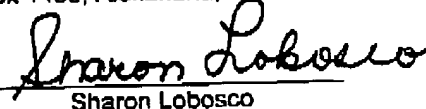
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AMENDMENT

Sirs:

In response to the Office action dated July 12, 2005, please amend
the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read --Telecommunications Transport Network
Comprising Elements Having A Performance Monitoring Facility And
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